Statement

Name of company	Capacity (MT)
1. M/s. Ranbaxy Labs.	12
2. M/s. Nirup Synchrame	20
3. M/s. Rajasthan Antibiotics	15
4. M/s. Cadila Labs.	75
5. M/s. Lyka Labs.	13
6. M/s. Armour Chemicals	30
7. M/s. IPICOL	24
8. M/s. Standared Organics	25
9. M/s. Cepham Organics	50

Monitoring Prices of Non-Scheduled Bulk Drugs

651. SHRI BEKAL UTSAHI: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state:

(a) what are the names of non-scheduled bulk drugs, prices of which have been declared/revised during 1990-91, so far;

(b) what is the percentage increase and what are the basis of such increase;

(c) if so, what is the purpose and basis of monitoring done by his Ministry and how far it has helped in achieving the objective of providing medicines at reasonable prices?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALAVIYA): (a) and (b) To the extent available, the information regarding declaration/revision of non-scheduled bulk drugs during 1990-91 has been given in the statement enclosed. *See* Appendix (CLVII Annexture No. 15) *Appendix I*. The inprices are due to the explanation in the cost of inputs and utilised.

(c) and (d) *Yes, Sir*. The monitoring cell keeps a watch on non-scheduled formulations only. Whenever any unusual price increase is noticed, Government intervenes. So far, prices in respect of 80 cases have been reduced on the intervention of the Government.

Decontrolling the products of M/s. Hoechst

662. SHRI H. HANUMANTHAPPA: SHRIMATI SATYA BAHIN:

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that M/s Hoechst has to pay Rs. 30 crores as DPEA dues for the period after 1984;

(b) when was the amount communicated to the company;

(c) what is the reaction of this company and what steps have been taken to recover the amount;

(d) whether it is a fact that his Ministry has decontrolled the prices of